National-"Forty-Five Minutes from Broadway," 8:15 p.m. Chase's-Polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m.

Majestic-"The Boy Behind the Gun," 8:15 New Lyceum-"The Star Show Girls and Cunning the Jail Breaker," 8:15 p.m. Convention Hall-Roller skating. Morning, afternoon and night.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Fort Monroe, Norfolk and all points south, every day in the year at 6:30 p.m. Electric trains from 12th street and Pennsylvania avenue for Mount Vernon hourly, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Arlington and Alexandria

every twenty minutes. Cars from station at Aqueduct bridge for Arlington, Fort Myer and Falls Church half

Ferry steamer Callahan to Alexandria hourly from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. For Rock Creek bridge, Zoological Park, Chevy Chase and Kensington-Electric cars from 15th street and New York avenue every fifteen minutes.

New Rugs at Auction,

Tuesday next coming, 11 a.m., Bigelow and Sanford Axminsters, Wiltons, American Orientals, Velvets, etc. New and perfect fabrics in large and small sizes. On exhibition Monday. Come in and see them. Regular sale fine new furniture Wednes-11 a.m. Wilson & Mayers, 1227 and

Rare Old Laces cleaned, but made to retain old appearance. Bornot, 1224 F st.

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While playing on the street yesterday afternoon Beatrice Holmes, colored, four years of age, living at 930 Liberty street southwest, fell and fractured her leg. She was given surgical treatment at the Emergency Hospital.

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If You've Never Tried Them you should. Fountain Brand Lams. If you will try Argo Red Salmon, you will find a Salmon that you can always de-pend upon. Nothing nicer.

Mary Williams, colored, twenty years of age, living at 379 Van street southwest, was treated at the Emergency Hospital last night for a painful scalp wound, received, being struck with a brick thrown by George Jordan. The trouble oc-curred at her home.

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surgical instruments, elastic hosiery, cutlery, etc. Lenz & Lossau, 623 7th st. n.w.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

A special concert by the People's Mission orchestra, which is to be free, and given under the direction of Dr. Ben Magert, is announced for tomorrow evening at the big meeting in the mission auditorium, 910 Pennsylvania avenue. Mr. George W. Havell will be the director of the service and the singing, and there will be talks and the singing, and there will be talks and the singing. onles by the converts and others.

The third annual ball last Thursday evening by the Associated Butlers, in Masonic Temple, was largely attended. The hall was artistically decorated with American flags and palms. A section of the Marine Band furnished the music.

Definition of "Play."

Judge Mullowny and George Jordan, colored, differed in the Police Court today regarding the definition of play. Jordan was sentenced to imprisonment in jail for 240 days. He was charged with making an assault on Mary Williams.

Mary told Judge Mullowny that she had been friendly with Jordan, and that when he called to see her yesterday they had a dispute and Jordan chased her out of the house and later struck her in the back of the head with a brick. She showed a spot on the back of her head covered with plaster, which she said was the result

"I was just playin' with her," Jordan explained. 'In play I chased her out of the house, and then I was hugging her and had the brick in my hand, when it sud-denly slipped and accidentally struck her

Ice Cream Famed for Purity and Richness. It's C. & S. Excellent Velvet Kind. Druggists.—Advt.

On Larceny Charge.

Walter White, colored, was in the Police Court today on a charge of the larceny of \$2 from Charles Beavers. Judge Mullowny was convinced of White's guilt and ordered him to pay a fine of \$10 or serve thirty days in jail.

'A sent him out with \$15 to buy some barrels for me," Mr. Beavers stated. "He brought back \$11 in money, \$2 in barrels and a load of whisky." Policeman Looper of the fourth precinct

Balmy Weather Tomorrow.

The outlook for St. Patrick's day, from a weather standpoint, was said to be good by Prof. Edward B. Garriott of the weather bureau this afternoon. The reports

balmy spring day.

"There is a chance for a spring shower or whole the general character of the day will be fair and warmer." If the day turns out to be as smiling as

predicted, it is believed there will be a beauty promenade along Pennsylvania avenue and other thoroughfares of the city, and many will take advantage of the occasion to exhibit new a d natty spring cos-

Good, Comfortable Rooms

are always in demand. You will un-doubtedly find plenty of occupants if you advertise them in The Star. Costs but I cent per word.

Death of Former Washingtonian.

George W. Mantz, known in sporting circles in this city several years ago, died suddenly yesterday morning in the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore. He was taken to the hospital by his wife, and was unconscious when he reached the institution. He died without regaining consciousness, his death being due to a cerebral hemorrhage. Mantz was in this city two days ago and at that time he complained of fliness. His remains will be cremated in Baltimore and the ashes will be brought here and buried. Many years ago Mantz conducted a saloon at 11th and C streets northwest, his place of business being the headquarters for sporting men. He was interested in prize fights and in dogs, often officiating at events as referee. It is thought he was worth about \$50,000.

TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

CHARLES ABBOTT FIRES BULLET THROUGH HIS HEAD.

Being short in his accounts and knowing the matter would be discovered this morning. Charles Abbott, twenty years of age, committed suicide last night by shooting himself. Abbott was employed by Wade & Hedges, stock brokers, who are in business at 809 G street. The young man was manager of a branch office at 406 5th street northwest, where the fatal shooting occurred. Just what time the shooting was Norfolk and Washington steamers, for done is not known. His body was found about 8:30 o'clock, when his employers and their attorney went to the office to examine the books for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of affairs, having suspected there was something wrong in the ac-

counts of their manager.

Upon entering the olace Mr. Wade stumbled over Abbott's body, and when it was seen that he was dead the police were notified. Detectives Hartigan and Evans and the sixth precinct police went to the office to take charge of the body and to make an investigation. Lying upon the floor was the dead body of Abbott, with the revolver clutched in his right hand.

Notes Explanatory.

Notes which the young man had written to his employers and his father explained the cause of suicide. The note he had written to his father, Julius Abbott, living at 234 41/2 street southwest, reads: "My Dear Father: I have been an awful-

to Wade & Hedges, but all of my own money and not a small sum of yours. To tell the truth, I have not a cent I could call "THE LIAR, CHARLIE." my own. In the message to his employers he said: "You wift be surprised to learn that I am \$2,000 short in my accounts with you. The

C- notes, which you will find in my entirely by machine, not touched by the human hand. 15 cents a can. pockets, are all bogus. H. owes me nothing and C. owes \$25. I would like to make good, but I cannot. "CHARLES ABBOTT." It had been the custom of the young man to turn in statements of his business at the close of each day, but his cash was settled

only at the close of each week. Worthless paper had been used to carry his daily ac-counts, but Abbott realized that this morning would bring about conditions which would render criminal prosecution possible. and it was in order to avoid the disgrace that he chose death.

Possible Attempt to Play Markets.

The young man's employers think his shortage is due to his efforts to beat the stock market. It is certain that he had been falling behind for several weeks and that his shortage was carried by the notes he had made out. The condition of the New York market, it is thought, caused him to lose heavily this week.

The parents of the young man were notified and the father had an undertaker take charge of the body and prepare it for burial. Abbott's parents and two brothers survive him. They were overwhelmed by the shock of the tragic death of the young His funeral will probably take place Monday.

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return

via Pennsylvania railroad, every Saturday and Sunday. All regular trains except the "Congressional Limited." Tickets good to return until Sunday night.—Advt.

Sunday Program of Y. M. C. A. Robert M. Moore, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is announced for the

gymnasium meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. His subject will be "The Man Who Wouldn't Run." At 3 o'clock in the lobby stereopticon views of the life of Christ and paintings by Tissot will be ex-At 7:30 p.m. there will be a meeting in the

Havell will be the director of the service At the Colored Branch Y. M. C. A. in and the singing, and there will be talks and True Reformers' Hall, 12th and U streets. Commissioner H. B. F. Macfarland will make an address upon "The Victorious The musical program will be participated in by Clarence Cameron White and the famous Temple Quartet. The meeting opens at 3:30 p.m.

> \$23.15 to Jacksonville and Return. Correspondingly low rates to other Florida points via Atlantic Coast Line. March 19, good for thirty days. Stop-overs allowed going and returning.-Advt.

Arranging for Purchase of Home. A conference of the several committees

appointed to take steps in connection with the purchase of a permanent home building for the United Spanish War Veterans of this city and the members of the department, has been called by Capt. J. Walter Mitchell, department commander, for tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Department Adjutant William Peacock, 211 A street southeast. It is expected that Mrs. Ida M. Galloway, who is an officer of the national auxiliary to the Spanish War Veterans; Mrs. Lizzie W Calver, the District president, and other ladies will meet with the veterans to discuss plans for a home.

There Are No Finer Carriages for any occasion than those obtainable at Downey's Stables, 1620 L. Reasonable rates.

Prominent Speakers Scheduled.

Interest in the fourth meeting to promote the George Washington University endowment fund to be held Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the New Willard is increased by the announcement that the speakers of the evening will be Justice John M. Harlan of the United States Supreme Court, who for many years has been professor of law in the university; Rev. C. Ernest Smith, rector of St. Thomas' Church, and Robert N. Harper, president of the American National Bank. A num-ber of additional subscriptions have been received during the past week and these will be announced at the meeting Monday.

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today indicate that it will be a typical Y. M. C. A. Debaters Contest Tonight. The Institute Debating Club has arranged

to meet at 7 o'clock in the Sir George Wiltwo," added the forecaster, "but on the liams rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening to debate the question which affirms that "the government clerk in the departments at Washington should have a twenty-five per cent increase in salary." Messrs. Bickel and Kesler will support the affirmative; Messrs. Pierce and McFetridge the negative. A special course in public speaking and debate is about to be opened as a part of the institute special courses, in which the members of the de-bating club are manifesting great interest. The course is open to any member of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Crispus Attucks at Jamestown.

Mrs. A. M. Curtis, fiscal agent of the negro exhibit, held in conjunction with the Jamestown tercentennial exposition, went to Boston yesterday to confer with Gov. Guild and Mayor Fitzgerald, and to conclude arrangements for the transfer of the Crispus Attucks monument on Boston Common in that city, to the exposition grounds at Jamestown. The use of the historic statue of the negro patriet of the revolustatue of the negro patriot of the revolu-tionary war was granted largely upon the recommendation of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, and it will occupy a conspicuous position in front of the \$40,000 negro build-

DEATH OF RALPH WELLS. Retired Banker, Who Devoted Forty

Years to Christian Effort. Mr. Ralph Wells of New York city, who has made Washington his winter home for the past ten years, died suddenly in this city at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Wells was born in New York city January 24, 1826. rie was the son of Ralph Wells and Mary Anna Nichols Wells. He studied law in the office of Judge Betts, but decided not to enter upon the practice of his profession, and chose a business career. He established a banking house in Wall street, where for several years he was remarkably successful. Early in life he married Miss Sarah Adams, daughter of John Adams, who was for many years

president of the Fulton Bank in New York. Mrs. Wells died two years ago.

Mr. Wells retired from business more than forty years since in order to devote himself entirely to Christian work and the service of his fellowmen in every helpful and philanthropic way. He was an earnest Christian and, it is said, exhibited in his Christian service the same wisdom that had made him successful in the world of busimade him successful in the world of business. At the age of twenty-two he was made an elder in Dr. Hutton's church, New York, and for the last thirty years has held the same office in the church of which Dr. H ward Crosby was so long the pastor. Mr. Wells was interested in and identified with all the great Christian movements of his time. For many years he was easily the foremost Sunday school leader and speaker of the country. He organized and built up Grace Mission, which in its time was the model Sunday school as well as the larges in New York, and superintended

it for a long time.
In connection with Richard Jesup, Morris K. Jesup, Dr. Howard Crosby and others, he planned and furthered the organiza-tion of the Young Men's Christian Associaliar. I have not only lost \$2,000 belonging tion. During the ten years of his residence in Washington, Mr. Wells exerted himself with the same energy and earnestness in the Christian and benevolent life of the city. He labored in all churches, ministered in all missions, visited the sick, helped the poor and worked to the last for the salvation and uplifting of men.

Mr. Wells leaves three children,

Ralph Wells, jr., of Montana; Mrs. F. Murray Olyphant of Englewood, N. J., and an unmarried daughter, Miss Anne Adams The funeral will take place from the Church of the Covenant tomorrow after-noon at 4 o'clock, and the interment will be at Englewood cemetery by the side of

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25,

Baltimore and Ohio R. R. every Saturday and Sunday. All trains both ways, both days, except Royal Limited. City offices, 1417 G st. and 619 Penna. ave.—Adv.

WILLIAM F. FARISH DEAD. Old-Time Resident of District Succumbs After Brief Illness.

Mr. William F. Farish, a well-known restdent of Prince George county, Md., died at his residence, near Lanham's, about 9 fifth year of his age. Mr. Farish was a native of Fredericksburg, Va., where he was known specially to the craft in antebellum days, in New Orleans, where he worked on the Picayune, and in Richmond, Petersburg and other Virginia cities and towns. He came to Washington about 1838, and was a compositor on the Union, Congressional Globe and other papers here, working under Thomas Ritchie, John C.

Rives, Beverly Tucker and others.
Returning to Virginia (now West Virginia), Mr. Farish went into business at Lewisburg, where he established the Greenbrier Independent and printed the records of the control of the c ords of the court of appeals of the state. which sat alternately at Richmond and at Lewisburg. He returned to Washington at the outbreak of the civil war, and for eral years resided in the eastern section of the city, but about 1867 he purchased a farm in Prince George county, upon which few years later he took up his residence. When the late Charles B. Calvert was a representative in Congress from Maryland office of the auditor for the War Depart-ment, and with but little intermission performed his duties till a week ago, when an attack of pneumonia set in and caused his death. Until his last illness he was exceed-

ingly active, and declared he could move as rapidly as a youngster.

Mr. Farish was a grandson of Larkin Farish, a soldier of the Virginia line in the revolution, and was well read in the history of the state. Few natives, it is claimed, were better acquainted than he with the istory of the District and of its people in ante-bellum days. He retained his faculties to the last, and was never more happy than when he was relating interesting events in the lives of celebrities, national and local, and recalling memorable scenes in the Senate and House of Representa-

His wife was Miss Marcia Coggin, sister of Robert W. Goggin, and eight children were born to them, five of whom died in infancy. Two daughters survive him-Mrs. Julia Downs and Miss Anna Farish. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity for more than half a century.

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Kneisel Quartet.

The last concert this season of the Knelsel Quartet took place at the Willard banquet hall last evening, and was attended by a large audience, which fully attested the popularity of this organization. There were but three numbers on the program, but these were calculated to show the quartet at its best. The opening number was Beethoven's quartet in E flat major, in four movements, all of which were given with quartet. The Scherzando vivace was espe cially pleasing, but the entire work gave great satisfaction. The next number was an arrangement of Chopin's "Lento," for violoncello, with accompaniment of strings. It was played with great feeling by Mr. Alwin Schroeder, who is to retire from the quartet at the close of this season to ac-cept a position abroad, and there is great regret that he will no longer be heard in this country. At the close of this number Mr. Schroeder was given the most raptu rous applause, which brought him back again and again. The last number was Haydn's quartet in G minor, which had already been played twice before this season.

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On Celtic Literature.

A lecture on Celtic literature was given yesterday afternoon by Dr. Joseph Dunn, professor of Celtic languages at the Catholice University. It was an analysis of the sea travel and sagas of the old Celts and it was attended by an interested audience. The lecturer complimented the accuracy of the illustrations that accompany President Roosevelt's recent article on the same sub-

J. H. Small & Sons. Florists. Washington and New York .- Advt.

Woman's Press Association. At the meeting of the Woman's National Press Association in the Public Library, last evening, Dr. Mila B. Sharp of Madison Wis., was admitted to membership, and was named as a representative from that state on the program of Press day at the Jamestown exposition, June 8 and 9. A. tentative program was announced, made up of writers from various parts of the United States. There will be an address of welcome from a member of the exposition board, and the program will also be inter-spersed with music furnished by the man-agement.

Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood and Mrs. Emi-

lie D. Martin of New York were chosen as delegates to the National Arbitration and Peace Congress, convening in New York April 14 to 17.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY NIGHT SCHOOL REPORT

EVENING STAR, SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1907-PART 1.

COMMON-LAW HUSBAND.

Mary Elizabeth Johnson, colored, the confessed common-law wife of Jerome Jones, also colored, appeared at the morgue this morning to hear what witnesses had to say regarding the affair last Wednesday afternoon, when her husband was shot and fatally wounded. Jones died at Freedmen's Hospital about 6:30 o'clock last night without having regained consciousness. At Larcombe, Sarah Leon, Blanche Steiner the time the woman was arrested she de- Stella Scharff, Carl R. Baldus, Charles clared that Jones had accidentally shot Beaumet, W. A. Collier, Frank Donaldson, himself, but when interviewed the next Philip Malleke, Edward McConaghy, Woodmorning by Detectives Hartigan and Baur ford Smith, John Steppe, Harry Sullivan, she admitted she had fired the shot, declar-

returned a verdict holding the woman for the action of the grand jury. She was then returned to jail.

Detectives Hartigan and Baur told the jury of the confession the woman made to them, in which she admitted having shot Jones when he kicked at her. Capt. Doyle presented a signed statement made by the confession that the confession the woman made to them, in which she admitted having shot Jones when he kicked at her. Capt. Doyle presented a signed statement made by the confession that the confession presented a signed statement made by the prisoner, in which she alleged that Jones had attempted to strike her with a chair before she shot him. The shooting, the witnesses stated, occurred in the room the couple occupied at 1639 Vermont avenue. Other witnesses testified that the revolver that was used had been left at the house Wednesday morning for Jones, and of hav-ing seen Jones about the street during the day. It was in evidence that Jones had

ing she did it in self-defense. A number

been drinking.
Deputy Coroner Glazebrook stated to the jury that death had resulted from the but-let wound in the head, and said the skull of the victim was a particularly thin one. Attorneys Ambrose and Stutler appeared for the woman, and, acting under their advice she refrained from making a statement to the jury. The body of the dead man was turned over to relatives for burial.

The Pellman-Gage Sale at Sloan's. The most important local event next week will be the "Pellman-Gage sale" at Sloan's Art Gallery, 1407 G street. This sale includes rare specimens of rich mahogany furniture in the old and unusual shapes, scarce books, Sheffield plate, Persian rugs and carpets, curious mirrors, East Indian art and metal wares, china, glass, paintings, curios, etc.; a pew in St. John's Church is also included. The exhibition opens Monday at 9 a.m. and continues un-til Wednesday at 11 a.m., when the sale will begin. Catalogues at the gallery, 1407 G street .- Advertisement.

Funeral of Mrs. Hannah E. Keys. The funeral of Mrs. Hannah E. Keys wife of M. H. Keys, division superintendent of the Capital Traction Company, who died Wednesday, took place this afternoon from Trinity M. E. Church, 5th and C streets. The services were conducted by Rev. Harry S. France, the pastor, and there was a o'clock yesterday morning, in the eighty- large attendance of relatives and friends, many following the remains to Oak Hill cemetery, where the interment was made. learned the printing business, and early in The pallbearers were Lewis Paxton, life was employed in many parts of the brother of Mrs. Keys; Edward Kern, country, traveling much in the south. He Frank Taff, Walter Kern, Duncanson Ratcliffe and Thomas Keys, nephews of the deceased.

Mrs. Keys was the youngest daughter of

the late John S. Paxton, once a deputy marshal of the District. She was born in Georgetown in 1859 and was connected in her youth with the Dumbarton Street Sunday sohool and church as a scholar, teacher, member and member of the choir. She was married in 1882.

Ten years later the family moved to Cap-

itol Hill and, uniting with Trinity M. E. Church, she continued her activity in the various departments of church work. Her death occurred after a brief illness. A daughter, Ollie, survives her., An Early Morning Train to Pittsburg

and Chicago via Baltimore and Ohio. a.m., arriving Pittsburg 5:05 p.m., with through Buffet Parlor Car. Through draw-Mr. Farish received an appointment in the ing room sleeping car from Pittsburg, arriving Chicago 7:45 a.m.-Advt.

> Furniture and all kinds of things are advertised for sale in the "Sale Miscellaneous" columns of The Star, one cent a word, three

Debates Child Labor Problem.

The Debating Society of the Howard University held a meeting Thursday evening at which the question, "That Child Labor Should Be Regulated Throughout the United States by Federal Law," was discussed. The judges decided in favor of the negative, represented by N. A. Scott of Laneville, Ala., and Mr. Bennett of Brandon, Miss. The affirmative debaters were H. W. Shields of New York city and J. H. Wilson of Washington. Before the dis-cussion was entered upon R. D. Brokenburr of Hampton, Va., gave an instrumental solo. Mr. Wilkinson of Cleveland, Ohio, gave an address on the civilization of the

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Itork April 14 to 17.

A press progressive euchre will probably be held at the Portner April 4, and will be a unique affair. There will be a prize given for the most points made by each group.

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WOMAN ACCUSED OF KILLING LIST OF PROMOTIONS ANNOUNC-ED BY MANAGEMENT.

Announcement of the names of the pupils of the Franklin night school who have suc cessfully passed the courses of study in the various grades during the scholastic year has been made. Those who are transferred to the classes of the Business Night High School are: Marie Bayne, Edith I. Boss Harriet Beach, Mary Fitzpatrick, Mabe Harold Seals, Maurice King, Frederick Souder, H. K. Pfeiffer, John Wood, Frank Williams, Harry Selinger and James F. of witnesses were examined, and the jury Oakley.

> Katie George, Angelina Johnson, Mary Klatt, Amelia Giese, Edna Larcombe, E. C. Anderson, Abraham Angell, William Bates Harry Bruce, Earl Castle, Abe Cordova, Simon Dent, William Ferry, Dudley Gor-don, E. T. Offutt, Oswald O'Neil, Wm. Ballenger, Joseph Bilbrey, Jack Canella, Benj. Clar, LeRoy De Neale, Frank Eckert, Raymond Escherick, Harvey Fetzer, War-ren Fox, Harry Frazier, Roman Harding, Albert Herbert, Carl Herman, Fred Hiser, John Hurney, Albert Jaeger, Samuel Kay, Harry Lohmeyer, Elmer Mantz, Jerome May, James McIver, Wendell Phillips, Walter Rice, Fendall Robinson, Julius Rose, Emmet Riner, George Seymour, Löuis Shulman and Louis Wesser.

> Promoted to sixth grade: Marie Horenberg, Mariano Cardenas, Latham Humphries, George Joelson, Wayland Jones, Franries, George Joelson, Wayland Jones, Franczis Patay, Max Rubin and Reginald Wyer.
> Promoted to fifth grade: Mrs. Beckman,
> Esther Dick, Jennie Dick, Mrs. Hunt, Leon
> Malson, Ayoob Rizik, Francis Storey, John
> Welch and Theodore Young.
> Promoted from foreign class A to fourth
> grade: Walter Markoff, William Dembrosky, Marcus Goldenberg, Anthony La
> Manna and Philip La Manna.

Cheap Excursion to Florida, March 19, Via Seaboard Air Line; \$23.15 to Jackson ville. Correspondingly low rates to other points. Office, 1421 Pa. ave.-Advt.

FUNERAL OF SILAS C. ROBB. Remains Interred This Afternoon in

Arlington Cemetery.

The funeral of Silas C. Robb, who died last Thursday, ocurred this afternoon from the family residence, 821 8th street southeast. The services were conducted by Rev. George W. King, pastor of Dumbarton Avenue Baptist Church. The pallbearers, chosen from the membership of Potomac Post, No. 11, of the Grand Army of the Republic, were Messrs. A. W. Kirkley, J. T. Bowell, G. W. Gladmon, W. L. Schmallhoff Fred Fritz and J. J. Lewis. Mr. Robb was a member of the famous

Knapp Battery of Light Artillery, which was formed in Pennsylvania, and which rendered signal service to the Union cause during the civil war. The interment was in Arlington cemetery.

CITY ITEMS.

9c. Prunes, 6 Lbs. for 25c.; 10c. Prunes, 5 lbs. for 25c.; 12c. Prunes, 4 lbs. Numegs, 10c.; Jellycon, 7½c.; 3 Gelatine, 10c.; 2 lbs. Bicarb. Soda, 5c.; 10c. bottles pure Vanilla, 4 for 25c.; Pyles' New Method Stores, 914 11th st. s.e.; 1438 P st. n.w., and N. J. ave. and K n.w.

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The creamy color and even texture bespeak pure materials. Grocers. Bakery, 716 11th s.e. A slight blaze occurred in the house of A slight blaze occurred in the house of P Elizabeth Parker, 822 12th street northwest, P about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire department received a call from a box near the house, but the flames were extinguished before the firemen arrived. But

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small damage was caused by the blaze.

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